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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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TAKAHITO UENO, ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: UNASSIGNED
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Sir:

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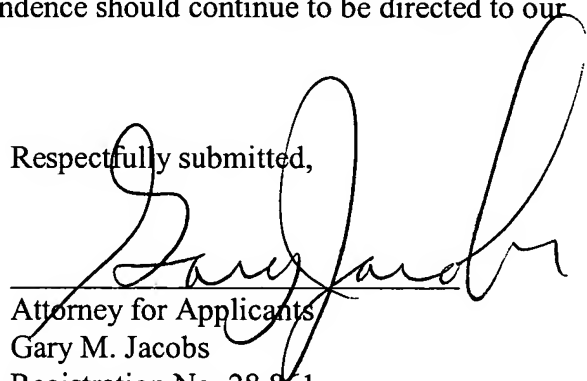
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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

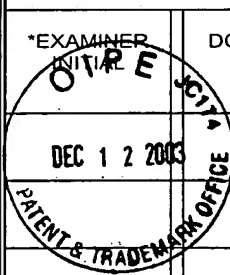
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
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	6,118,960	9/12/00	NAKAGAWA, ET AL.	399	111	
	5,966,568	10/12/99	NUMAGAMI, ET AL.	399	111	
	5,937,242	8/10/99	YOKOYAMA, ET AL.	399	114	
	5,543,898	8/6/96	SHISHIDO, ET AL.	355	210	
	5,617,579	4/1/97	YASHIRO, ET AL.	399	114	
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